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**RE: CY 2011 Annual Hazardous Waste Export Report**

Dear Mr. Nelson:

Please find attached U. S. Chrome Corporation of New York's (USC) CY 2011 annual Hazardous Waste Export Report. The completion of this document was based upon Hazardous Waste Manifests and shipment volumes provided by Stablex of Canada.

If you have any questions concerning the information presented, please contact me directly.

Very truly your,  
U.S. Chrome Corporation of New York



Michael Klotzbach  
General Manager

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**CY 2011 Export Report Attachment 1**

Hazardous Waste Export Reports

# ANNUAL HAZARDOUS WASTE EXPORT REPORT

## CALENDER YEAR 2011

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Name: Transport Rollex Ltee  
USEPA ID#: NYF006000053
5. WASTE INFORMATION  
Description: Spent Chromic Acid Tank Bottom Sludge  
USEPA Waste #: D002, D007  
USDOT Shipping Name: RQ Waste Corrosive Solid, Acidic, Inorganic nos  
USDOT Hazard Class: 8  
USDOT ID Code: UN3260
6. SHIPPING INFORMATION  
Total Shipments: 3  
Shipment Dates: 1/20/11, 10/5/11 & 12/20/11  
Total Volume Shipped: 1.45 tons
7. WASTE MINIMIZATION  
Report attached for even numbered years.
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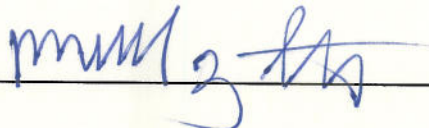


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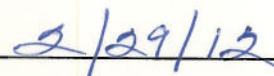
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Name: Transport Rollex Ltee  
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5. WASTE INFORMATION  
Description: Alkaline Strip Solution  
EPA Waste #: D002, D007  
DOT Shipping Name: RQ Waste Corrosive Liquid, Basic, Inorganic nos  
DOT Hazard Class: 8  
DOT ID Code: UN3266
6. SHIPPING INFORMATION  
Total Shipments: 1  
Shipment Dates: 6/2/11  
Total Volume Shipped: 4.40 tons
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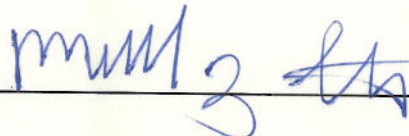


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Name: Transport Rollex Ltee  
USEPA ID#: NYF006000053
5. WASTE INFORMATION  
Description: Waste Chromic Acid Solution  
EPA Waste #: D002, D007  
DOT Shipping Name: RQ Waste Chromic Acid Solution  
DOT Hazard Class: 8  
DOT ID Code: UN1755
6. SHIPPING INFORMATION  
Total Shipments: 5  
Shipment Dates: 1/20/11, 5/3/11, 6/2/11, 10/5/11 & 12/20/11  
Total Volume Shipped: 9.42 tons
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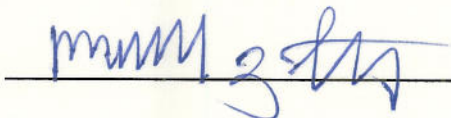
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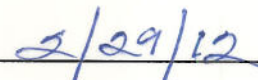
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4. TRANSPORTER #1  
Name: Transport Rollex Ltee  
USEPA ID#: NYF006000053
5. WASTE INFORMATION  
Description: Chrome Contaminated Debris  
EPA Waste #: D007, D008  
DOT Shipping Name: RQ Waste Environmentally Hazardous  
Substance Solid nos  
DOT Hazard Class: 9  
DOT ID Code: UN3077
6. SHIPPING INFORMATION  
Total Shipments: 4  
Shipment Dates: 1/20/11, 6/2/11, 10/5/11 & 12/20/11  
Total Volume Shipped: 8.55 tons
7. WASTE MINIMIZATION Report attached for even numbered years.
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Name: Transport Rollex Ltee  
USEPA ID#: NYF006000053
5. WASTE INFORMATION  
Description: Waste De-burring Solution  
EPA Waste #: D007, D008  
DOT Shipping Name: RQ Waste Environmentally Hazardous  
Substances, Liquid nos  
DOT Hazard Class: 9  
DOT ID Code: UN3082
6. SHIPPING INFORMATION  
Total Shipments: 1  
Shipment Dates: 12/20/11  
Total Volume Shipped: 5.40 tons
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4. TRANSPORTER #1

Name: Transport Rollex Ltee  
USEPA ID#: NYF006000053

5. WASTE INFORMATION

Description: Waste Lacquer Thinner (Chrome-  
Contaminated)  
EPA Waste #: D002, D007  
DOT Shipping Name: RQ Waste Chromic Acid Solution  
DOT Hazard Class: 8  
DOT ID Code: UN1755

6. SHIPPING INFORMATION

Total Shipments: 1  
Shipment Dates: 12/20/11  
Total Volume Shipped: 3.00 tons

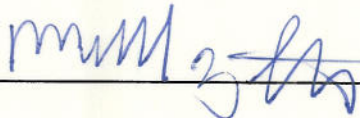
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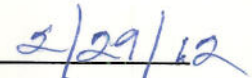
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Name: Transport Rollex Ltee  
USEPA ID#: NYF006000053

### 5. WASTE INFORMATION

Description: Waste Water Treatment Filter Cake  
EPA Waste #: F006  
DOT Shipping Name: RQ Waste Environmentally Hazardous  
Substances, Solids nos  
DOT Hazard Class: 8  
DOT ID Code: UN3077

### 6. SHIPPING INFORMATION

Total Shipments: 2  
Shipment Dates: 1/20/11 & 10/5/11  
Total Volume Shipped: 1.5 tons

### 7. WASTE MINIMIZATION

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**CY 2011 Export Report Attachment 2**

Current Hazardous Waste Reduction Plan



**HAZARDOUS WASTE REDUCTION PLAN**  
**2010 Biennial Update**

Prepared For:  
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Prepared By:  
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June 29, 2011

## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 Background

The U.S. Chrome Corporation of New York (USC) facility, located at 31 Swan Street, Batavia, New York, specializes in Hard Chrome electroplating of metal parts. The operations performed on-site to produce the facility's end products include very limited machining of metal parts, alkaline cleaning, non-cyanide Chromium electroplating and rinsing. Hazardous waste generation is related to the cleaning and processing of metal parts, and the treatment of the resulting wastewaters. The alkaline cleaning involves use of a caustic solution, while the electroplating bath consists of a solution containing Hexavalent Chromium. In 2010, these operations resulted in the generation of six separate hazardous waste streams, including: 1) Hazardous wastewater treatment plant filter cake; 2) Chromic Acid tank sludge; 3) Chromium contaminated debris and floor sweeping residues; 4) Waste Chromic Acid solution; 5) Alkaline Stripping Solution; and 6) Electroplating process wastewater. The electroplating process wastewater is treated on-site for metals precipitation and clarification prior to being discharged to the local POTW. All other wastes are shipped off-site for treatment, stabilization and landfill disposal.

### 1.2 Corporate Hazardous Waste Reduction Policy

It is the policy of USC to operate its facility both with the highest regard for the protection of human health and the environment, and in accordance with applicable federal, state and local environmental laws and regulations. Furthermore, it is USC's long term goal to: 1) Reduce the overall quantity of hazardous waste(s) generated; and/or 2) Recover, reuse or recycle any hazardous wastes generated when possible. To that end, USC has already initiated various waste reduction efforts over the past several years.

USC's management has authorized its General Manager to implement those waste reduction measures which have been deemed technically feasible and economically practical. This individual is also responsible for implementing both the hazardous waste reduction policy and the provisions of the Hazardous Waste Reduction Plan (HWRP).

USC's primary goal is to maintain its existing waste reduction efforts in a manner which maximizes efficiency and effectiveness. The use of "Porous Pots" in the plating baths has helped reduce waste Chromic Acid solution by removing impurities and extend the life of this process solution. USC will also continue to monitor industry research regarding more efficient methods of managing or recovering the alkaline stripping solution and minimizing the amount of wastewater from the electroplating process. To enhance these efforts, USC plans to provide employee training focusing on the implementation, benefits and applicability of waste reduction measures. Achieving this goal will reduce both disposal costs and the regulatory requirements for hazardous wastes generated throughout the facility.



## **2.0 HAZARDOUS WASTE GENERATION**

### **2.1 General**

During calendar year 2010, USC generated a total of 14.65 tons of RCRA hazardous wastes that were shipped off-site. These wastes included the following;

- 1) 4.5 tons of Chromium contaminated debris (D007, D008);
- 2) 3.0 tons of waste Chromic Acid solution (D002, D007);
- 3) 6.05 tons of Alkaline Stripping Solution (D002, D007);

In addition, a total of 362.8 tons of hazardous process wastewater were treated on-site before being discharged to the local POTW. There were no acute hazardous wastes generated by USC during 2010.

### **2.2 Hazardous Waste Streams**

As indicated above, all of the reportable hazardous wastes generated by USC result directly from the facility's cleaning and processing of metal parts. The operation may involve cleaning (stripping) the parts in an alkaline solution (Tetra Potassium Pyrophosphate - TKPP) and then rinsing the parts with fresh water. Over time, the alkaline solution may become spent and have to be disposed. This disposal process typically occurs about once every two years. The parts are then charged and placed in an electroplating bath containing Chromic acid. Wastes generated from this process may include waste Chromic acid solution and Chromic acid tank sludges that are removed from the electroplating bath tanks. The plated parts are then rinsed, and the rinse water is treated in the on-site wastewater treatment system via metal precipitation and clarification. The water treatment system includes a filter press which results in production of a filter cake waste. The final waste stream consists of debris produced during processing, including gloves, tape, floor sweepings and other ancillary materials.

Of the various hazardous wastes generated by USC during 2010, four of the six waste streams will be addressed in this HWRP update, including the chrome contaminated debris, waste chromic acid solution, alkaline stripping solution, and process wastewater. The remaining hazardous wastes generated on-site (Chromic acid tank sludge and wastewater treatment plant filter cake) continued to be generated at well below the five ton reporting threshold, and are not further addressed in this HWRP.

### **2.3 Production Rate Index**

A Production Rate Index (PRI) has been developed for this facility to measure, and account for, changes in the annual amount of parts processed. These data will be used to facilitate the assessment of hazardous waste reduction efforts by allowing USC's management to distinguish inter-year quantity changes that resulted from waste reduction activity from those caused by economic and/or other factors. The PRI for Calendar Year 2010 was calculated based on past production information provided by USC personnel, as follows:



2010 Production = \$1,948,449  
 2009 Production = \$2,077,073  
 Production Rate Index =  $\$1,948,449 / \$2,077,073 = 0.94$

## 2.4 Hazardous Waste Management Costs

To date, the costs of managing USC's hazardous wastes have resulted from the following activities (based on USC estimates):

Labor and Materials for Waste Management (Annual)	
Labor (i.e., operators, technicians):	\$ 40,982
Other/Miscellaneous Expenses:	2,495
Transportation & Disposal of Wastes (Annual)	<u>11,543</u>
Total	<b>\$ 55,020</b>

## 3.0 HAZARDOUS WASTE STREAM REDUCTION MEASURES

### 3.1 General

As indicated in the previous sections, USC's hard chrome plating operations may result in the generation of six types of hazardous waste. USC has already committed resources to determining and evaluating various measures for reducing the facility's overall hazardous waste generation rate and volume. The waste reduction measures which are currently utilized (and/or scheduled for implementation) at this facility include research regarding more efficient methods of managing or recovering the alkaline stripping solution, minimizing debris associated with the plating process, and minimizing the amount of wastewater from the electroplating process. Additionally, enhanced employee training will be pursued to improve waste management. These measures are discussed in the following section.

### 3.2 Waste Reduction Measures

To minimize the quantity of hazardous wastes produced, USC has already implemented various production-related activities. These include limited use of Porous Pots in the Chromic acid baths to prolong process solution life and reduce tank sludges and continued use of the treatment system sludge dryer to reduce sludge weight. In addition, the implementation of new methods of masking parts to be plated has continually reduced the generation rate for this waste over time. USC is also committed to reviewing industry journals and trade publications for improved methods of using the alkaline cleaning solution. Reduced waste production may result from lengthening the useful life of the solution by filtration, by-product removal, etc., although no solution has been identified to date. The investigation into reducing the amount wastewater produced from rinsing plated parts concluded with the selection of lower flow rinsing nozzle, with the recirculation of rinse waters being allowed for some select operations.

A final waste reduction technique which is continually being used by USC is employee training. Currently, all personnel, regardless of their possible exposure to hazardous materials and/or hazardous wastes, receive OSHA Hazard Communications



Standard training. RCRA Hazardous Waste training is also provided to a select group of employees that are involved with hazardous management or generation. These training programs are provided annually and cover a variety of topics including, but not limited to, compliance with applicable federal and state regulations; solid and hazardous waste identification definitions; sources of hazard information; the "cradle to grave" waste tracking system and employee responsibilities regarding waste identification and characterization. USC will continue to revise and expand these training programs to include additional information focusing on hazardous waste reduction. Among the new topics proposed are applicable waste reduction regulations, corporate waste reduction policy, benefits and incentives for hazardous waste reduction, and implementation of waste reduction techniques.

#### **4.0 IMPACT OF WASTE REDUCTION IMPLEMENTATION**

##### **4.1 Schedule**

The proposed schedule of implementation for the proposed waste reduction measures identified in Section 3.2 is summarized in Table 2.

##### **4.2 Future Waste Transference Estimate**

The implementation of the proposed waste reduction techniques identified in Section 3.2 will not result in the transference of waste to any other environmental media. The continued training program will provide employees with valuable information on the benefits of waste reduction and include basic techniques for reducing wastes at the USC facility. This program should help to promote the concept of waste reduction throughout the facility.

##### **4.3 Economic Practicality**

When adjusted for the production decrease between 2009 and 2010 of 6%, the actual cost savings have increased due to increased transportation and disposal fees. In 2010 USC estimated the total cost of managing and disposing hazardous waste to be **\$55,020**. Future waste management costs will be estimated with more production and waste generation data. Implementation of USC's waste reduction measures will continue to be evaluated relative to hazardous waste generation volume, management cost, and production. Estimation of cost savings will be reported in future Hazardous Waste Reduction Plans.

##### **4.4 Waste Reduction Assessments**

The measurement of waste reduction effectiveness was completed for each reportable hazardous waste stream generated by USC during 2010. This measurement was completed using a method developed and identified in USC's CY 1996 Hazardous Waste Reduction Plan, with the exception of the calculation of the Actual Hazardous Waste Reduction Rate presented below as Step 5. This calculation has been modified to reflect an example obtained from the NYSDEC during 2000.

### **Chrome Contaminated Debris**

**Step 1** Percentage change (C) in the waste stream's generation volume from one year to the next (Note: A negative number represents a reduction in the generation volume):

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Prior Year)

$$C = \frac{(\text{Waste current year [2010]} - (\text{Waste prior year [2009]})}{(\text{Waste prior year [2009]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(4.5 - 8.5)}{(8.5)} = -0.47 \times 100$$

$$C = \text{-47\% Volume decrease from 2009 (Prior Year) to 2010}$$

Comparing 2010 to 2003 (Base Year)

$$C = \frac{(\text{Waste current year [2010]} - (\text{Waste base year [2003]})}{(\text{Waste base year [2003]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(4.5 - 3.47)}{(3.47)} = 0.30 \times 100$$

$$C = \text{30\% Volume increase from 2003 (Base Year) to 2010}$$

**Step 2** Production Rate Index (PRI) (Note: A number less than 1.0 will represent a reduction in the facility's production):

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Prior Year)

$$PRI = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production prior year [2009]})}$$

$$PRI = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$2,077,073)}$$

$$PRI = \text{0.94}$$

Comparing 2010 to 2003 (Base Year)

$$PRI = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production base year [2003]})}$$

$$PRI = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$1,266,404)}$$

$$PRI = \text{1.54}$$



**Step 3** Expected amount of hazardous waste generated (EHW) in 2010 relative to production in previous year (2009) and base year (2003):

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Previous Year)

EHW = 2010/2009 PRI x Hazardous waste generated during 2009:

EHW = 0.94 x 8.5 tons

EHW = **7.99 tons** (expected in 2010)

Comparing 2010 to 2003 (Base Year)

EHW = 2010/2003 PRI x hazardous waste generated during 2003:

EHW = 1.54 x 3.47 tons

EHW = **5.34 tons** (expected in 2010)

**Step 4** Hazardous Waste Reduction (HWR) for CY 2010 represents the theoretical volume of increase or decrease of the current year's actual generated waste volume relative to the volume of hazardous waste "expected" to be generated when accounting for production differences between the previous/current year and base/current year [Note: A negative number indicates an increase in volume of hazardous waste generated (adjusted for production)]:

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Previous Year)

HWR = 2010/2009 EHW - Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.

HWR = 7.99 tons – 4.5 tons

HWR = **3.49 tons** adjusted hazardous waste **decrease** from 2009 to 2010.

Comparing 2010 to 2003 (Base Year)

HWR = 2010/2003 EHW - Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.

HWR = 5.34 tons – 4.5 tons

HWR = **0.84 tons** adjusted hazardous waste **decrease** from 2003 to 2010.

**Step 5** Estimate of the actual hazardous waste reduction rate (RR) achieved is a representation of the percentage difference between the Expected Hazardous Waste volume (relative to production) and the theoretical Hazardous Waste Reduction (or increase) volume [Notes: A negative number indicates an increase of hazardous waste generated for the current year, expressed as a percentage of the Expected Hazardous

Waste (which is adjusted for production)]:

Using 2010/2009 (Previous Year) HWR & EHW

$$RR = \frac{2010/2009 \text{ HWR}}{2010/2009 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$RR = \frac{3.49 \text{ tons}}{7.99 \text{ tons}} = 0.44 \times 100$$

RR = **44% decrease** from 2009 to 2010

Using 2010/2003 (Base Year) HWR & EHW

$$RR = \frac{2010/2003 \text{ HWR}}{2010/2003 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$RR = \frac{0.84 \text{ tons}}{5.34 \text{ tons}} = 0.16 \times 100$$

RR = **16% decrease** from 2003 to 2010

### **Waste Chromic Acid Solution**

**Step 1** Percentage change (C) in the waste stream's generation volume from one year to the next (Note: A negative number represents a reduction in the generation volume):

Comparing 2010 to 2009

$$C = \frac{(\text{Unit waste current year [2010]}) - (\text{Unit waste prior year [2009]})}{(\text{Unit waste prior year [2009]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(3.0 - 10.85)}{(10.85)} = -0.72 \times 100$$

C = **-72% Volume decrease** from 2009 to 2010

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

$$C = \frac{(\text{Waste current year [2010]}) - (\text{Waste base year [1996]})}{(\text{Waste base year [1996]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(3.0 - 6.44)}{(6.44)} = -0.53 \times 100$$

C = **-53% Volume decrease** from 1996 (Base Year) to 2010



**Step 2**      Production Rate Index (PRI) (Note: A number less than 1.0 will represent a reduction in the facility's production rate):

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Prior Year)

$$\text{PRI} = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production prior year [2009]})}$$

$$\text{PRI} = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$2,077,073)}$$

$$\text{PRI} = \mathbf{0.94}$$

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

$$\text{PRI} = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production base year [1996]})}$$

$$\text{PRI} = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$844,668)}$$

$$\text{PRI} = \mathbf{2.31}$$

**Step 3**      Expected amount of hazardous waste generated (EHW) in 2010 relative to production in previous year (2009) and base year (1996):

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Previous Year)

$$\text{EHW} = 2010/2009 \text{ PRI} \times \text{Hazardous waste generated during 2009:}$$

$$\text{EHW} = 0.94 \times 10.85 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{EHW} = \mathbf{10.2 \text{ tons}}$$
 (expected in 2010)

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

$$\text{EHW} = 2010/1996 \text{ PRI} \times \text{hazardous waste generated during 1996:}$$

$$\text{EHW} = 2.31 \times 6.44 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{EHW} = \mathbf{14.9 \text{ tons}}$$
 (expected in 2010)

**Step 4**      Hazardous Waste Reduction (HWR) for CY 2010 represents the theoretical volume of increase or decrease of the current year's actual generated waste volume relative to the volume of hazardous waste "expected" to be generated when accounting for production differences between the previous/current year and base/current year (Note: A negative number indicates an increase in volume of hazardous waste generated (adjusted for production)):



Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Previous Year)

HWR = 2010/2009 EHW - Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.

$$\text{HWR} = 10.2 \text{ tons} - 3.0 \text{ tons}$$

HWR = **7.2 tons** adjusted hazardous waste **decrease** from 2009 to 2010.

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

HWR = 2010/1996 EHW - Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.

$$\text{HWR} = 14.9 \text{ tons} - 3.0 \text{ tons}$$

HWR = **11.9 tons** adjusted hazardous waste **decrease** from 1996 to 2010.

**Step 5** Estimate of the actual hazardous waste reduction rate (RR) achieved is a representation of the percentage difference between the Expected Hazardous Waste volume (relative to production) and the theoretical Hazardous Waste Reduction (or increase) volume [Note: A negative number indicates an increase of hazardous waste generated for the current year, expressed as a percentage of the Expected Hazardous Waste (which is adjusted for production)]:

Using 2010/2009 (Previous Year) HWR & EHW

$$\text{RR} = \frac{2010/2009 \text{ HWR}}{2010/2009 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$\text{RR} = \frac{7.2 \text{ tons}}{10.2 \text{ tons}} = 0.71 \times 100$$

RR = **71% decrease** from 2009 to 2010

Using 2010/1996 (Base Year) HWR & EHW

$$\text{RR} = \frac{2010/1996 \text{ HWR}}{2010/1996 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$\text{RR} = \frac{11.9 \text{ tons}}{14.9 \text{ tons}} = 0.80 \times 100$$

RR = **80% decrease** from 1996 to 2010

**Process Wastewater**

**Step 1** Percentage change (C) in the waste stream's generation volume from one year to the next (Note: A negative number represents a reduction in the generation volume):

Comparing 2010 to 2009

$$C = \frac{(\text{Unit waste current year [2010]}) - (\text{Unit waste prior year [2009]})}{(\text{Unit waste prior year [2009]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(362.8 - 500.4)}{(500.4)} = -0.27 \times 100$$

$$C = \mathbf{27.0\% \text{ Volume decrease from 2009 to 2010}}$$

Comparing 2010 to 1995 (Base Year)

$$C = \frac{(\text{Waste current year [2010]}) - (\text{Waste base year [1995]})}{(\text{Waste base year [1995]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(362.8 - 228)}{(228)} = 0.59 \times 100$$

$$C = \mathbf{59\% \text{ Volume increase from 1995 (Base Year) to 2010}}$$

**Step 2**      Production Rate Index (PRI) (Note: A number less than 1.0 will represent a reduction in the facility's production rate):

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Prior Year)

$$PRI = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production prior year [2009]})}$$

$$PRI = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$2,077,073)}$$

$$PRI = \mathbf{0.94}$$

Comparing 2010 to 1995 (Base Year)

$$PRI = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production base year [1995]})}$$

$$PRI = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$795,979)}$$

$$PRI = \mathbf{2.45}$$

**Step 3**      Expected amount of hazardous waste generated (EHW) in 2010 relative to production in previous year (2009) and base year (1995):



Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Previous Year)

EHW = 2010/2009 PRI x Hazardous waste generated during 2009:

$$\text{EHW} = 0.94 \times 500.4 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{EHW} = \mathbf{470 \text{ tons}}$$
 (expected in 2010)

Comparing 2010 to 1995 (Base Year)

EHW = 2010/1995 PRI x hazardous waste generated during 1995:

$$\text{EHW} = 2.45 \times 228 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{EHW} = \mathbf{558.6 \text{ tons}}$$
 (expected in 2010)

**Step 4** Hazardous Waste Reduction (HWR) for CY 2010 represents the theoretical volume of increase or decrease of the current year's actual generated waste volume relative to the volume of hazardous waste "expected" to be generated when accounting for production differences between the previous/current year and base/current year [Note: A negative number indicates an increase in volume of hazardous waste generated (adjusted for production)]:

Comparing 2010 to 2009 (Previous Year)

HWR = 2010/2009 EHW - Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.

$$\text{HWR} = 470 \text{ tons} - 362.8 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{HWR} = \mathbf{107.2 \text{ tons}}$$
 adjusted hazardous waste **decrease** from 2009 to 2010.

Comparing 2010 to 1995 (Base Year)

HWR = 2010/1995 EHW - Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.

$$\text{HWR} = 558.6 \text{ tons} - 362.8 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{HWR} = \mathbf{195.8 \text{ tons}}$$
 adjusted hazardous waste **decrease** from 1995 to 2010.

**Step 5** Estimate of the actual hazardous waste reduction rate (RR) achieved is a representation of the percentage difference between the Expected Hazardous Waste volume (relative to production) and the theoretical Hazardous Waste Reduction (or increase) volume [Note: A negative number indicates an increase of hazardous waste generated for the current year, expressed as a percentage of the Expected Hazardous Waste (which is adjusted for production)]:

Using 2010/2009 (Previous Year) HWR & EHW

$$RR = \frac{2010/2009 \text{ HWR}}{2010/2009 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$RR = \frac{107.2 \text{ tons}}{470 \text{ tons}} = 0.23 \times 100$$

RR = **23% decrease** from 2009 to 2010

Using 2010/1995 (Base Year) HWR & EHW

$$RR = \frac{2010/1995 \text{ HWR}}{2010/1995 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$RR = \frac{195.8 \text{ tons}}{558.6 \text{ tons}} = 0.35 \times 100$$

RR = **35% decrease** from 1995 to 2010

### **Alkaline Stripping Solution**

**Step 1** Percentage change (C) in the waste stream's generation volume from one year to the next (Note: A negative number represents a reduction in the generation volume):

Comparing 2010 to 2008 (Prior Year)

$$C = \frac{(\text{Waste current year [2010]}) - (\text{Waste prior year [2008]})}{(\text{Waste prior year [2008]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(6.05 - 8.25)}{(8.25)} = -0.27 \times 100$$

C = **-27% Volume decrease** from 2008 (Prior Year) to 2010

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

$$C = \frac{(\text{Waste current year [2010]}) - (\text{Waste base year [1996]})}{(\text{Waste base year [1996]})} \times 100$$

$$C = \frac{(6.05 - 5.66)}{(5.66)} = 0.07 \times 100$$

C = **7% Volume increase** from 1996 (Base Year) to 2010

**Step 2** Production Rate Index (PRI) (Notes: A number less than 1.0 will represent a reduction in the facility's production and the 1996 Production expressed in dollars has not been adjusted for inflation).

Comparing 2010 to 2008 (Prior Year)

$$PRI = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production prior year [2008]})}$$



$$\text{PRI} = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$2,680,456)}$$

$$\text{PRI} = 0.73$$

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

$$\text{PRI} = \frac{(\text{Production current year [2010]})}{(\text{Production base year [1996]})}$$

$$\text{PRI} = \frac{(\$1,948,449)}{(\$844,668)}$$

$$\text{PRI} = 2.31$$

**Step 3** Expected amount of hazardous waste generated (EHW) in 2010 relative to production in previous year (2008) and base year (1996):

Comparing 2010 to 2008 (Previous Year)

$$\text{EHW} = 2010/2008 \text{ PRI} \times \text{Hazardous waste generated during 2008:}$$

$$\text{EHW} = 0.73 \times 8.25 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{EHW} = \mathbf{6.02 \text{ tons}}$$
 (expected in 2010)

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

$$\text{EHW} = 2010/1996 \text{ PRI} \times \text{hazardous waste generated during 1996:}$$

$$\text{EHW} = 2.31 \times 5.66 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{EHW} = \mathbf{13.07 \text{ tons}}$$
 (expected in 2010)

**Step 4** Hazardous Waste Reduction (HWR) for CY 2010 represents the theoretical volume of increase or decrease of the current year's actual generated waste volume relative to the volume of hazardous waste "expected" to be generated when accounting for production differences between the previous/current year and base/current year. (Note: A negative number indicates an increase in volume of hazardous waste generated (adjusted for production):

Comparing 2010 to 2008 (Previous Year)

$$\text{HWR} = 2010/2008 \text{ EHW} - \text{Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.}$$

$$\text{HWR} = 6.02 \text{ tons} - 6.05 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{HWR} = \mathbf{-0.03 \text{ tons}}$$
 adjusted hazardous waste **increase** from 2008 to 2010.

Comparing 2010 to 1996 (Base Year)

$$\text{HWR} = 2010/1996 \text{ EHW} - \text{Actual hazardous waste generated during 2010.}$$

$$\text{HWR} = 13.07 \text{ tons} - 6.05 \text{ tons}$$

HWR = **7.02 tons** adjusted hazardous waste **decrease** from 1996 to 2010.

**Step 5** Estimate of the actual hazardous waste reduction rate (RR) achieved is a representation of the percentage difference between the Expected Hazardous Waste volume (relative to production) and the theoretical Hazardous Waste Reduction (or increase) volume. [Note: A negative number indicates an increase of hazardous waste generated for the current year, expressed as a percentage of the Expected Hazardous Waste (which is adjusted for production)]:

Using 2010/2008 (Previous Year) HWR & EHW

$$\text{RR} = \frac{2010/2008 \text{ HWR}}{2010/2008 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$\text{RR} = \frac{-0.03 \text{ tons}}{6.02 \text{ tons}} = -0.005 \times 100$$

RR = **-0.5% increase** from 2008 to 2010

Using 2010/1996 (Base Year) HWR & EHW

$$\text{RR} = \frac{2010/1996 \text{ HWR}}{2010/1996 \text{ EHW}} \times 100$$

$$\text{RR} = \frac{7.02 \text{ tons}}{13.07 \text{ tons}} = 0.54 \times 100$$

RR = **54% decrease** from 1996 to 2010



## HAZARDOUS WASTE GENERATION SUMMARY

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**TABLE 1**

WASTE STREAM ID NUMBER	NAME OF WASTE	SOURCE OF GENERATION	DISPOSAL METHOD	QUANTITY OF WASTE GENERATED (TONS)				PRODUCTIVITY INDEX BASE INDEX = 1 (YEAR HWRP FIRST SUBMITTED)			
				1995	1996	1997	1998	1995	1996	1997	1998
001	Chromic Acid	Plating solution	Treat/Recycle		6.44	1.19	9.87		0.33	3.0	0.2
	Solution (D)	with impurities									
002	Chromic Acid	Sediment on	Stabilization		2.63	2.33	6.60		0.30	0.94	0.33
	Tank Sludge (E)	bottom of tank	& Secure Landfill								
003	Waste Treatment	WW Metals removal	Stabilization	8.1	2.1	2.37	3.34	0.55	1.28	0.664	0.652
	Filter Cake (A)		& Secure Landfill								
004	waste Water (B)	Plating & Rinsing	On-Site Treatment	228	266.5	263.8	260.54	0.62	1.28	0.664	0.652
005	Stripping Solution	Spent Alkaline	Treatment &		5.66	3.65	8.73		0.09	1.496	0.4
		Strip Solution	Secure Landfill								

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WASTE STREAM ID NUMBER	NAME OF WASTE	SOURCE OF GENERATION	DISPOSAL METHOD	QUANTITY OF WASTE GENERATED (TONS)				PRODUCTIVITY INDEX BASE INDEX = 1 (YEAR HWRP FIRST SUBMITTED)			
				2003	2004	2005	2006	2003	2004	2005	2006
001	Chromic Acid	Plating solution	Treat/Recycle	8.89	3.79	2.24	3.05	0.99	1.47	0.96	1.13
	Solution (D)	with impurities									
002	Chromic Acid	Sediment on	Stabilization	1.66	2.15	2.80	1.40	0.99	1.47	0.96	1.13
	Tank Sludge (E)	bottom of tank	& Secure Landfill								
003	Waste Treatment	WW Metals removal	Stabilization	5.94	9.55	9.33	3.75	0.99	1.47	0.96	1.13
	Filter Cake (A)		& Secure Landfill								
004	waste Water (B)	Plating & Rinsing	On-Site Treatment	722.0	980.0	571.0	421.17	0.99	1.47	0.96	1.13
005	Stripping Solution	Spent Alkaline	Treatment &	2.13	2.84	6.40	6.88	0.99	1.47	0.96	1.13
		Strip Solution	Secure Landfill								
006	Chrome Debris	Tape, gloves, etc.	Stabilization	3.47	5.80	15.0	11.4	0.99	1.47	0.96	1.13
			& Secure Landfill								

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WASTE STREAM ID NUMBER	NAME OF WASTE	SOURCE OF GENERATION	DISPOSAL METHOD	QUANTITY OF WASTE GENERATED (TONS)				PRODUCTIVITY INDEX BASE INDEX = 1 (YEAR HWRP FIRST SUBMITTED)			
				2007	2008	2009	2010	2007	2008	2009	2010
001	Chromic Acid	Plating Solution	Treat/Recycle	5.95	8.75	10.85	3.0	1.0	1.32	0.77	0.94
	Solution (D)	with impurities									
002	Chromic Acid	Sediment on	Stabilization	3.85	0.7	0.7	0.35	1.0	1.32	0.77	0.94
	Tank Sludge (E)	Bottom of Tank	& Secure Landfill								
003	Waste Treatment	WW Metals removal	Stabilizaion	2.25	3.75	0.75	0.75	1.0	1.32	0.77	0.94
	Filter Cake (A)		& Secure Landfill								
004	Waste Water (B)	Plating & Rinsing	On site Treatment	417	462.3	500.4	362.8	1.0	1.32	0.77	0.94
005	Stripping Solution	Spent Alkaline	Treatment &	2.75	8.25	0	6.05	1.0	1.32	0.77	0.94
		Strip Solution	Secure Landfill								
006	Chrome Debris	Tape, gloves, etc.	Stabilization	4.8	7.2	8.5	4.5	1.0	1.32	0.77	0.94
			& Secure Landfill								

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WASTE STREAM ID NUMBER	NAME OF WASTE	SOURCE OF GENERATION	DISPOSAL METHOD	QUANTITY OF WASTE GENERATED (TONS)				PRODUCTIVITY INDEX BASE INDEX = 1 (YEAR HWRP FIRST SUBMITTED)			
				1999	2000	2001	2002	1999	2000	2001	2002
001	Chromic Acid	Plating Solution	treat/Recycle	3.80	6.25	0.00	0.00	1.5	1.2	1.3	0.97
	Solution (D)	with impurities									
002	Chromic Acid	Sediment on	Stabilization	0.44	3.90	0.30	1.6	0.11	0.9	0.80	0.97
	Tank Sludge (E)	Bottom of Tank	& Secure Landfill								
003	Waste Treatment	WW Metals removal	Stabilizaion	4.02	3.21	3.13	1.51	0.640	0.631	0.623	0.97
	Filter Cake (A)		& Secure Landfill								
004	Waste Water (B)	Plating & Rinsing	On site Treatment	264.68	258.21	253.98	1017.0	0.642	0.631	0.623	0.97
005	Stripping Solution	Spent Alkaline	Treatment &	8.15	3.48	5.44	6.05	0.45	0.40	0.42	0.97
		Strip Solution	Secure Landfill								

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